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Fiscal Note

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| Bill Topic: | FISCAL RULE ADVANCE PAYMENT CHARITABLE FOOD GRANTS | |
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| Summary of Fiscal Impact: | ☐ State Revenue | ☐ TABOR Refund |
| Tiodi ilipuoti | ☑ State Expenditure☐ State Transfer | □ Local Government□ Statutory Public Entity |
| | The bill requires the state controller to adopt rules allowing for advance payments of state grant money to charities to purchase state agricultural products. The bill minimally increases state workload in FY 2023-24 only. | |
| Appropriation Summary: | No appropriation is required. | |
| Fiscal Note Status: | The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill. | |

Summary of Legislation

The bill creates an exception to state fiscal rules prohibiting payment prior to receipt of goods or services to allow the state controller to advance state grant money to charitable food organizations to purchase state agricultural products. The state controller must promulgate fiscal rules for the exception.

State Expenditures

In FY 2023-24 only, the bill will minimally increase workload in the Office of the State Controller in the Department of Personnel and Administration to promulgate rules. It will also minimally increase the legal services required for rulemaking; legal services are provided by the Department of Law. No change in appropriations is required.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect 90 days following adjournment of the General Assembly sine die, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

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